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Subject RE: supporting data - BHP Application

Nahid: Here are our thoughts on each of your requests:

1.all OCD meteorological data – both raw and processed, for both onshore and offshore sites

At Carol Bohnenkamp's suggestion, BHP/Sierra Research purchased the five years of OCD met data from Trinity. Those data were provided by Trinity in processed form as one of Trinity's specialties is processing raw met data. Neither BHP nor Sierra Research have access to the raw met data. The processed met data are being sent to you by mail.

2.all OCD input and output files

These are being sent to you by mail.

3.all input and output files for the visibility modeling.

The visibility (VISCREEN) inputs and outputs are relatively few and are all presented in the application in Appendix I. The 16 inputs used in the model are all stated in the screening results above the word "Results."

Let me know if you have any questions.

Tom

-----Original Message-----

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Tom: Greetings from San Francisco. I would like to get the supporting data for the air impact analysis provided in the December 2005 BHP application.

As discussed earlier, we do not need an air modeling analysis for a minor source. But this subject and the air impact of the project has been discussed in the last two years, and it is a part of our permitting action record. So, it is important to have the input data not only for the agencies verification and determinations but also for the public. As you know, the earlier application included the supporting data, but the latest application did not include them.

I would appreciate if you could send me

- 1.all OCD meteorological data – both raw and processed, for both onshore and offshore sites
- 2.all OCD input and output files
- 3.all input and output files for the visibility modeling.

I would also like to remind that presently all parts of the December 2005 application are available to the public upon request, and we will post the application on our web when we propose an air permit. Therefore, the supporting data will be public also.

Thank you very much for your help. Please call me if we need to discuss this matter.

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